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In re Appln. of: Yasuyuki KAWASHIMA

Appln. No.: 10/821,732

Filed: April 8, 2004

For: Methods for Measuring Bacteria,

Bacteria Measuring Apparatuses, and Storage Media for Storing Computer-Executable Programs for Analyzing

Date: March 25, 2010 Name: Jasper W. Dockrey, Reg. No. 33,868 Signature: /Jasper W. Dockrey/

Bacteria

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated September 28, 2009 for a period of three months.

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Respectfully submitted,		
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